STRIKING GOLDUCK 77

NO . HE'S GOT TO BE IMAGIN-ING
.HEY WHAT'S THAT?
THAT'S THAT'S THE TAIL TIP THAT AGATHA CUT OFF MY ARBOK !
WE'RE RIGHT BACK WHERE WE STARTED!
ONE THING S DIFFERENT FROM BEFORE AGATHA'S DISAPPEARED
AND ANOTHER THING -GASP- I'M A LOT WEAKER THAN I WAS..
DON'T STRAIN YOURSELF YOU'VE BEEN LOSING A LOT OF BLOOD

NO, I DON'T THINK THAT'S THE ONLY REASON.
IT'S LIKE. —HUFF— MY ENERGY IS BEING SUCKED OUT SOMEHOW
SSS
BOOM
THUD
SSSHHH
SSS
ARGH!
SSSHHH

AM I -WHEEZE- HALLUCI- NATING..?
NO THERE'S SOME- THING HERE!
OOOM
AT OUR FEET!
GOL- DUCK!
B-BOM
KOF- FING!
GNG
GOLDUCK! KOFFING!
THUMP
GNG
WHAT!?
SSSHHH

D-DID YOU SEE THAT? THAT WAS...
A GENGAR! AND IT'S IN OUR SHADOWS!
Gengar
Shadow Pokémon
Height 4' 11"
Weight 89 lbs
Able to merge with and inhabit the shadow of another being
PIIP
THEY SAY THAT UNDER A FULL MOON YOUR SHADOW WILL SOMETIMES DANCE AND GRIN. WHEN IT'S A GENGAR.
I THINK I JUST SAW IT DISAPPEAR INTO MY SHADOW! WATCH OUT!
GULP
BOOM
BOOM
CHARIZARD! SCYTHER! NINETALES!
BOOM

RAAA
SLASH!
CH
FLAME-
THROWER!
FIRE SPIN!
SSSHAHH
DID
WE
GET
IT ?
OOOM
NNNIPE!
N-NOW
IT'S
IN MY
SHADOW!!
NINE-
TALES!

SCYTHER! CHARIZARD!
SYP
RRGH! IT'S MOVING FROM ONE SHADOW TO ANOTHER THE MOMENT THEY TOUCH!
THE MORE SHADOWS THERE ARE, THE MORE PLACES IT HAS TO HIDE!
POW
RETURN!
BLAST!
STAY THERE!
I WAS -:GASP:- RIGHT IT'S NOT ..JUST THE BLOOD LOSS.. THAT WAS MAKING ME WEAK
IT STEALS ENERGY FROM ME EVERY TIME IT GETS INTO MY SHADOW..

THAT ATTACK WAS COUNTER GENGAR LIKES PHYSICAL ATTACKS
CHIK CHIK
PORYGON! CONVER-SION!
CONVERSION ENABLES AN ENEMY'S TYPE TO BE "COPIED" ONTO THE POKÉMON
MY PORYGON WILL BE A "GHOST" TYPE DURING THIS BATTLE! ANY PHYSICAL ATTACKS WILL BE USELESS!
OOOM
SSSHHH
THERE!
getting
SWISH
!?

huff
gasp
IT'S ESCAPING INTO THE SHADOWS AGAIN! AFTER IT!
SSSSHHHH
PORYGON! SHARPEN!
!
PFF
RGH.
IF THERE WERE SOME WAY TO DRAW IT OUT OF THE SHADOWS COMPLETELY...!

PEWTER CITY MUSEUM OF SCIENCE
GEODUDES ONE AND TWO! TIGHTEN THE ENTRANCE TO THE MUSEUM SO THEY CAN'T GET THROUGH ANY FURTHER!
GEODUDE THREE, PROTECT KABUTO'S TANK!
GNNG
GEODUDES FOUR, FIVE AND SIX
THEY'LL BE YOUR OPPO-NENTS!
I'LL SHOW YOU THE POWER OF MY GEODUDE SIX GROUP!

DOUBLE-EDGE!
ACK! ONE GOT THROUGH!!
CELADON CITY.
KA-BOOM BOOM
OH!
CHOMP
NGH— THIS IS... SHELLDER'S CLAMP ATTACK!

tug
ARE THEY TRYING TO TAKE SOMETHING FROM ME..!?
T-TANGELA! CONSTRICT!
ABSORB!
GROWTH!
LADY ERIKA! THIS JUST CAME IN!
TM TM
!
WHAT!?

CERULEAN CITY
KRABBY VICEGRIP!
9ork
CRAB-HAMMER!
FWM
ERIKA!?
WH-WHAT!?
THE ELITE FOUR'S FOURTH ARMY HAS LANDED IN VIRIDIAN SAFFRON, VERMILION, FUCHSIA, AND CINNABAR!?

S-SOMEHOW - I'VE GOT TO GET THIS INFORMATION TO BLAINE AND THE OTHERS ON CERISE ISLAND.!
LONG AGO TRAVELERS USED THE STARS TO SHOW THEM THE WAY!
LET THEM KNOW - BY DRAWING A PATH IN THE SKY!!
STARMIE!
BE MY GUIDING LIGHT, STARMIE!